

LELOOSKA FOUNDATION

Winter 2012

UPCOMING CLASSES

Advance reservations are necessary

Call (360) 225-9522 to register

Northwest Coast Flat Design

Instructor: Tsungani **\$45.00**

Saturday, March 3, 2012 12:00pm– 4:00pm

Explore how the forms and elements of Northwest Coast art come together to form designs that represent hereditary crests. Learn how these designs are interpreted when carved into wood and painted on masks. You will learn basic forms and begin to work on layout of

designs. Bring a sketchpad and pencils.

Miniature Button Blanket

Instructor: Mariah Ts'igilhilaqw **\$35.00**

Saturday, March 3, 2012 10:00am-12:00pm

Learn the history and significance of how the Button Blanket became part of the culture of the Native Peoples of the Northwest Coast. Discussion will include the different materials and techniques used in creating a button blanket. Examples of different styles from the Lelooska Family collection will be shared. Then, create your own miniature button blanket from felt.

Advanced Woodcarving

Instructor: Tsungani **\$60.00**

Saturday, March 17, 2012 11:00am—4:00pm

This class will encompass the final stages of creating a mask, including detail carving, sanding techniques, painting and assembling complex masks. Finishing information including setting hair, abalone inlays and much more will be shared. Several carvings at various stages of completion will be used to demonstrate these techniques. Come with your questions.

Introduction to Woodcarving

Instructor: Tsungani **\$45.00**

Saturday, March 10, 2012 11:00am— 4:00pm

Introduction to Northwest Coast Woodcarving,

Tsungani will discuss tribal styles and the variations through time along the coast. He will demonstrate tools used in the creation of ceremonial masks, including the D-adz, elbow adz, crooked knives, straight knives and slant blades. Tsungani will demonstrate different techniques used in creating masks, rattles, totem poles, bowls and complex masks. Pieces from the family collection will be shared to increase your understanding of how complex masks work. This class is lecture and demonstration. You are welcome to bring a piece of your own for critique.

Drawing From Native Plants

Instructor: Julia Stoll **\$30.00**

Saturday, May 5, 2012 1:00pm-4:00pm

Enjoy viewing and drawing native plants introduced to the grounds of the Lelooska Cultural Center. We will discuss some uses of native plants by First Peoples of the Pacific Northwest. Julia has been teaching drawing and painting for over 20 years and has a special interest in cultivating native plants. Beginning or advanced students are welcome.

Drawing boards, bond paper, ebony pencil & eraser will be supplied.

Optional: Bring your sketchbook. This class will be held walking the grounds and drawing in the Lelooska studio.

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